FORM D OMB Approval UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB Number: 3235-0076 Washington, D.C. 20549 ROCESSED Expires: April 30, 2008 Estimated average burden hours per response . . . 16.00 JUN 2 6 2007 / FORM D RECEIVED SEC USE ONLY NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES ON PURSUANT TO REGULATION ON CIAL 2007 Prefix Serial **SECTION 4(6), AND/OR** UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION 186 DATE RECEIVED Name of Offering (check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.) Mariner Capital Partners, LLC Membership Interest Offering Filing Under (Check box(es) that apply): ☐ Rule 504 ☐ Rule 505 ☑ Rule 506 ☐ Section 4(6) □ ULOE Type of Filing: ☑New Filing □Amendment A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA Enter the information requested about the issuer Name of Issuer (□ check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.) Mariner Capital Partners, LLC Address of Executive Offices (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) Telephone Nu....

(if different from Executive Offices)

7400 College Blvd., Suite 205, Overland Park, KS 66210

Actual or Estimated Date of Incorporation or Organization:

Address of Principal Business Operations (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)

Mariner Capital Partners, LLC specializes in ownership solutions for private company owners and management teams.

Type of Business Organization
☐ corporation

☐ limited partnership, already formed☐ limited partnership, to be formed☐

☑ other (please specify): limited liability company

Telephone Number (Including Area Code)

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Month

August

Year

2006

☑ Actual

913-647-7400

□ Estimated

Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization: (Enter two-letter U.S. Postal Service abbreviation for State; DE

CN For Canada; FN for other foreign jurisdiction)

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Federal:

☐ business trust

Who Must File: All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D or Section 4(6). 17 CFR 230.501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C. 77d(6).

When to File: A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering. A notice is deemed filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given below or, if received at that address after the date on which it is due, on the date it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.

Where to File: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549

Copies Required: Five (5) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

Information Required: A new filing must contain all information requested. Amendments need only report the name of the issuer and offering, any changes thereto, the information requested in Part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied in Parts A and B. Part E and the Appendix need not be filed with the SEC.

Filing Fee: There is no federal filing fee.

State:

This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sales of securities in those states that have adopted ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on ULOE must file a separate notice with the Securities Administrator in each state where sales are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall accompany this form. This notice shall be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state law. The Appendix to the notice constitutes a part of this notice and must be completed.

ATTENTION

Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal exemption. Conversely, failure to file the appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unless such exemption is predicated on the filing of a federal notice.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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		A. BASIC IDENTIF	ICATION DATA		
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Business or Residence Address (7400 College Blvd., Suite 205,					
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C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

1.	Enter the aggregate offering price of securities included in this offering and the total amount already sold. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero". If the transaction is an exchange offering, check this box \square and indicate in the columns below the amounts of the securities offered for exchange and already exchanged.			
		Aggrega		Amount Already
	Type of Security	Offering P	псе	Sold
	Debt	\$0	\$	0
	Equity	\$ 0	\$	0
	□ Common □Preferred			
	Convertible Securities (including warrants)	\$0	\$	0
	Partnership Interests	\$0	\$	0
	Other (Specify: LLC Membership Interests)	\$50,000,000	\$	0
	Total	\$50,000,000	\$	0
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 3, if filing under ULOE			
2.	Enter the number of accredited and non-accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total lines. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero."	Number Investor		Aggregate Dollar Amount of Purchases
	Accredited Investors	0	\$(0
	Non-accredited Investors	0	S	0
	Total (for filings under Rule 504 only)		. \$(0
3	Answer also in Appendix, Column 4 if filing under ULOE If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C-			
	Question 1. Type of Offering	_	_	
	Type of Offering	Type of Security		Dollar Amount Sold
	Rule 505	·	\$(0
	Regulation A		\$(0
	Rule 504		\$(0
	Total		\$(0
4.a.	Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the issuer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate.			
	Transfer Agent's Fees		□ \$0	0
	Printing and Engraving Costs		□ \$0)
	Legal Fees		Ø \$4	40,000
	Accounting Fees	••••••	□ \$()
	Engineering Fees	•••••	□ \$()
	Sales Commissions (Specify finder's fees separately)	••••••••••	S ()
	Other Expenses (identify)		□ \$0	0
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Enter the difference between the aggregate offer and total expenses furnished in response to Part gross proceeds to the issuer."	C-Question 4.a. This difference is the "adjusted	•	\$49,9	60,000	
 Indicate below the amount of the adjusted gross for each of the purposes shown. If the amount for and check the box to the left of the estimate. The adjusted gross proceeds to the issuer set forth in 	or any purpose is not known, furnish an estimate e total of the payments listed must equal the	ed	Payments to Officers Directors, & Affiliates		Payments To Others
Salaries and fees			\$0		\$0
Purchase of real estate			\$0		\$ 0
Purchase, rental or leasing and installation	of machinery and equipment		\$0		\$ 0
Construction or leasing of plant buildings a	and facilities		\$ 0		\$ 0
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may be used in exchange for the assets or s	securities of another issuer pursuant to a merger		\$0		\$49,960,000
Repayment of indebtedness		O	\$0		\$0
Working Capital			\$0		\$0
Other (specify)			\$0		\$0
Column Totals		D	\$0		\$ 0
Total Payments Listed (column totals added	d)		☑ \$ 49,960,0	00	
	D. FEDERAL SIGNATURE		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
The issuer has duly caused this notice to be signed by constitutes an undertaking by the issuer to furnish to the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to provide the issuer to any non-accredited the issuer to accredit the investor pursuant to provide the issuer to accredit the issuer to accredit the investor pursuant to provide the investor pursuant to accredit the investor pursuant to provide the investor pursuant to pro	the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, u				
Issuer (Print or Type)	Signature		Date		
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Name of Signer (Print or Type)	Title of Signer (Print or Type)	•			
Mariner Equity Management, LLC	Manager				
	ATTENTION				

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Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations. (See 18 U.S.C. 1001).

	E. STATE SIGNATURE			
1.	Is any party described in 17 CFR 230.262 presently subject to any of the disqualification provisions of such rule?	Yes	No ☑	
	See Appendix, Column 5, for state response.			

- The undersigned issuer hereby undertakes to furnish to any state administrator of any state in which this notice is filed, a notice on Form D (17 CFR 239.500) at such times as required by state law.
- 3. The undersigned issuer hereby undertakes to furnish to the state administrators, upon written request, information furnished by the issuer to offerees.
- 4. The undersigned issuer represents that the issuer is familiar with the conditions that must be satisfied to be entitled to the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) of the state in which this notice is filed and understands that the issuer claiming the availability of this exemption has the burden of establishing that these conditions have been satisfied.

The issuer has read this notification and knows the contents to be true and has duly caused this notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

Issuer (Print or Type)	Signature	Date
Mariner Capital Partners, LLC	Mariner Equity Management, LLC By: S. Kirk Lambright, Jr., Member	6/07/07
Name (Print or Type)	Title (Print or Type)	
Mariner Equity Management, LLC	Manager	

Instruction:

Print the name and title of the signing representative under his signature for the state portion of this form. One copy of every notice on Form D must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

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